

WSIS+10 High-Level Event

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	Name of Organization	Organization type	Country	Suggest main topics and themes
1	Telecom Regulatory Authority	Government	United Arab Emirates (UAE)	Thematic Workshops: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Conserving our Environment” • “Educate and Innovate” Country Workshop: “Smart Future, Smart Government”
2	Intel	Private Sector		Thematic Workshop
3	Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications	Government	Japan	The report on progress made in implementing the WSIS outcome in Member States, other stakeholders and Moderators/Facilitators for each Action Lines in the Tunis Agenda. Country Workshop Thematic Workshop: ICT Utilization and Application to Solve Various Challenges in Sustainable Development in Developing Countries (in the areas of disaster management, e-health, advanced education, environment protection, effective agriculture and so on).
4	Central Agency for Information Technology (CAIT)	Government	Kuwait (State of)	Country Workshop
5	Information Technology Authority	Government	Sultanate of Oman	Topics: e-health, e-education, e-employment, government transparency, open government data, mobile government. Country Workshop: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Oman eGovernance Framework 2. Oman Electronic ID Card Voting System (e-voting) 3. Oman eEducation solutions Also, we would like to participate in the action line sessions according to available action lines workshops.

6	Office of Electronic Communications (UKE) National regulatory authority (NRA)	Government	Poland	<p>1. Opportunities and threats for regulators in the context of new challenges in the development of the information society</p> <p>2. Market participants vs. end users – what changes for regulators?</p> <p>3. Multistakeholderism on the rise: challenges and opportunities</p> <p>4. Development of ICT and the pro-consumer policy.</p> <p>Country Workshop:</p> <p>1. The influence of the development of mobile Internet on the dissemination of the digital inclusion – the Polish experience,</p> <p>2. Enhanced cooperation to improve the quality of services – the Polish experience.</p>
7	RURA	Government	Rwanda	<p>Cybersecurity, Total inclusion, Access to broadband Services and usage uptake</p> <p>Country Workshop</p>
8	Association for Proper Internet Governance	Civil society	Switzerland	<p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>The 2012 International Telecommunication Regulations and the Internet</p>
9	Center for Democracy & Technology	Civil society	UK	<p>1. The role of human rights and good governance in realizing development</p> <p>2. The importance of an open and neutral Internet to development;</p> <p>3. Encouraging multi-stakeholder governance processes and the role they play in empowering individuals and communities and the facilitation of development.</p>
10	China Internet Network Information Center (CNNIC)	Civil Society	CHINA	<p>We suggest the following themes:</p> <p>1. International Cooperation on Cyber Security.</p> <p>2. Open Consultation for International ICT Infrastructure Upgrade.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>“5W: A New Conception of ICT Capacity Building”</p> <p>Our workshop will be a panel discussion to propose a 5W Conception on capacity building, by addressing respectively significance, subjects, approaches, contents and strategic spots as well as continuity of capacity building, to contribute a new possible perspective on capacity building.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● WHAT is the more profound interpretation of capacity building? ● WHO has the responsibility for capacity building? ● In WHICH channels shall we diversify capacity building? ● WHERE does capacity building strategy implement? ● WHEN does capacity building take place?
11	Gedaref digital City organization	Civil society	Sudan	<p>1. Telecentre</p> <p>2. Fighting poverty through ICT & water</p> <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>1. The role of Telecentres</p> <p>2. New modules on fighting poverty through ICT and water</p>

12	Health and environment Program (HEP)	Civil society	Cameroon Switzerland	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Managing the Internet in a global market 2. In which manner less developed countries can reduce the gap with developed countries? 3. Initiative or lessons learned, what's next? 4. How to watch piracy in the Internet? 5. Where to find the rules of intellectual property on Internet?
13	ICANN	Civil society	Belgium	<p>Thematic Workshop: The economic benefit of a multistakeholder approach to Internet Governance and identifying best practice in a multistakeholder environment.</p> <p>We will discuss the role of ICANN in the global debate on Internet Governance in relation to the WSIS+10 Review.</p> <p>We will include stakeholders from a diverse range of backgrounds and ethnicities.</p>
14	International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA)	Civil Society	Netherlands	<p>IFLA would like to see a focus on access to ICTs, with particular emphasis placed on the role of public intermediaries in increasing access in remote and rural areas, as well as for vulnerable and marginalized persons. We would combine this with a focus on skills such as media and information literacy as access on its own will not be enough for people to take full advantage of the opportunities the information society offers.</p> <p>IFLA would also be keen to see WSIS discuss and focus on the role of access to information in development.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: IFLA would propose two workshops, in relation to Action Lines C3 and C8:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. C3: Public access to ICTs, and the role of access to information in supporting development. The workshop would use case studies and examples to show how important public access to ICTs is in including people in the information society 2. C8: Enabling frameworks for the preservation of cultural heritage in the digital age. The workshop would use the UNESCO Vancouver Declaration on Digitization and Preservation as a starting point for the consideration of what a suitable legal and regulatory framework will need to enable cultural institutions to provide access to and preserve cultural heritage in the digital age.

15	Internet Democracy Project	Civil society	India	<p>1. Human rights and progress on the WSIS agenda: what relation? 2. Corporatization and monopolization of the Internet: threat or opportunity? 3. Network neutrality and development 4. Intellectual property rights and the inclusive information society 5. Surveillance, privacy, freedom of expression and development - Bottom-up vs top-down development: what would the Internet look like if the poor and marginalized had their say?</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: 1. Human rights and progress on the WSIS agenda: what relation? This workshop will draw on representatives from a range of stakeholders to examine why a human rights agenda should be at the heart of an inclusive and development-oriented information society, and what the risks are if we do not follow such an agenda closely. 2. Corporatization and monopolization of the Internet: threat or opportunity? This workshop will examine in detail the current and ongoing trend towards corporate monopolization of the Internet and mobile phone ecology, both where access and platforms are concerned.</p>
16	Koperasi CHP	Civil Society	Indonesia	<p>Public and Private Partnerships as Multi-Sector Partnerships. Case Study 1: Combined Heat and Power (CHP) Systems in the view of IEC for Public Electricity and ISO for Private Industry as well as Cooperatives: New Java-Bali Systems. Case Study 2: The utilization of a constructed Multi-Purpose Dam Project in Indonesia. Keywords: Cooperative Intellectual Property for Development</p>
17	The Internet Society	Civil society	SWITZERLAND	<p>The open Internet is no longer a philosophical or an abstract ideal; it is a pragmatic need. As the Internet evolves alongside societies, a clear understanding of what openness means, its impact and the reasons for sustaining it, becomes more pertinent.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: "Exploring the meaning and benefits of an Open Internet" This workshop will discuss and focus on the way openness has contributed to creating these networks of trust that have, subsequently, played a major role in encouraging social and political forms of community engagement. Participants will explore what openness means in the context of social and economic structures and whether – and to what extent – openness as understood in today's Internet world reflects the original values and aspirations of the technical community.</p>

18	World Pulse	Civil society	USA	<p>Women's Digital Access, Inclusion, and Empowerment</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: World Pulse would like to hold a Thematic Workshop on the importance of Digital Empowerment for women, and how online platforms can support this vision through promoting connection and voice.</p>
19	World Summit Award	Civil Society	Austria	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Affordable Internet access for creative content and local producers 2. Tax inequalities of the global digital economy for local content producers 3. Money for Content: Who pays for high quality and multi-lingual content 4. Inducement Awards for Technological and Social Challenges <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Youths saving our world with ICTs ● Young digital activists using ICTs to tackle social challenges <p>Roundtable Discussion: My data belongs to me: citizen data rights in the cyber age (It would be great if the workshop and roundtable discussion are not scheduled for Friday, as we might have to be back for meetings in Austria)</p>
20	Zamen Salamati	Civil society	Iran	<p>New methods and ideas for access of rural, distance and poor areas to digital content and internet.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: To discuss the ways to make the Internet or digital content available in rural, distance and poor areas. Talking about the novel methods, new ideas and hiring the potential of the richer countries.</p>
21	Internet Society	Civil society	United States	<p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>“C2: Information and Communication Infrastructure, C4: Capacity Development and C6: Enabling Environment”</p> <p>This workshop would look at the efforts of many in the Internet technical community to develop infrastructure and technical capacity, to identify barriers to connectivity and suggest ways to lift them, and look at critical economic analyses that demonstrate where Internet infrastructure correlates with economic development and how to spur more investment.</p>

22	Internet Society India Chennai	Civil society	India	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Internet Privacy is a serious topic of discussion ● Cyber Bullying / Cyber Stalking ● Peering Disputes ● Internet Penetration & Last Mile Access <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Securing BGP - Resource ● Public Key ● Infrastructure (RPKI) ● Peering in Disputes ● Regions ● IPv6 Privacy Concerns
23	Internet Society	Civil society	Switzerland	Suggested theme for High Level dialogue: Open Internet for sustainable development; understanding the challenges of delivering the Internet to everyone and for everyone
24	Gedaref digital city organization	Civil society	Sudan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Connecting people with disability ● Improving agriculture through ICT ● Online crop market ● Role of Telecentre in connecting people ● e-education for out of school children ● iwrite4wsis <p>Thematic Workshop: The role of Telecentres for community development (in e-agriculture, in out of schoolchildren e-education, connecting people with disability)</p>
25	Swiss Informatics Society, Member of IFIP	Civil society	Switzerland	<p>ISES-Initiative: Worldwide “Information Security Education & Solidarity”</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: ISES-Initiative: Worldwide “Information Security Education & Solidarity Initiative”</p> <p>The objective of this session will be to discuss the ICT security situation in the developing world and how standards and solidarity can provide an enabling platform for sustainable and secure ICT innovations.</p>
26	Independent Coordinator	Civil society	United States of America	Distinguishing the Internet from other types of IP-based networks in order to recognize policy and technological initiatives that will affect its key characteristics and advantages.

27	The Internet Society	Civil society	Switzerland	<p>Theme proposal: The benefits of the open and sustainable Internet for development and economic growth.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: Title: “Understanding the challenges of delivering the Internet to everyone and for everyone”</p> <p>ISOC will release its first annual Global Internet Report in conjunction with WSIS to highlight the benefits of the open and sustainable Internet, and the challenges to making it accessible to everyone. This panel will analyze the challenges outlined here, to consider solutions to the barriers keeping the majority of the world’s population from enjoying the benefits of the Internet.</p>
28	Agence Nationale de Réglementation des Télécommunications (ANRT)	Government	Morocco	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Social Networks; 2. Net Neutrality; 3. Internet Broadband ; 4. Digital Divide ; 5. Cloud computing ; 6. IxP Development Strategies; 7. e-Gov and local content.
29	Agency for e-Government and Information Society	Government	Uruguay	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Outcomes by action line 2. Regional approaches 3. Measuring Information Society 4. The “Co's”: Cooperation, Collaboration, Co-Building... <p>Thematic Workshop: Best practices on regional coordination of information society strategies</p>
30	DCMS	Government	UK	<p>The WSIS+10 High-Level Event should focus on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Action Line C2 – ensuring that ICT infrastructure projects (especially around broadband) are given enough political/ financial backing to aide the information society in developing countries. 2. Action Line C5 – ensuring that assistance is provided in setting up national strategies to protect national critical infrastructures and respond to cyber-threats, as well as setting up national Computer Incident Response Teams. 3. Merging of Action Line C3; C4 and C7 item on E-Learning into one enhanced WSIS Action line on ‘Access to Knowledge; Learning and Capacity’. 4. Action Line C6 – looking to revise text to promote lighter regulatory approaches that enable competitive telecoms/ ICTs markets globally.
31	Information Technology and Digital Media Development	Government	Iran	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The achievements towards WSIS Goals and MDGs and the activities in line with WSIS ACs. 2. The framework for further cooperation among stakeholders from developed, developing and less developed countries.

	Center (ITDMDC)			<p>3. New challenges such as cyber safety, copyright issues, child online protection, information access, internet governance, ...</p> <p>4. Approach to knowledge societies: enabling users, promoting digital literacy, access to new technology, ...</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: COP and Cyber Safety beyond 2015 (an Input for WSIS+10 Vision Document) Organizers: DISC & ITDMDC</p>
32	Innovation Technology and Informatics Office of the Presidency of El Salvador	Government	El Salvador	<p>I. Infrastructure and Broadband</p> <p>The gaps between the countries of Latin America, on issues of connectivity, broadband infrastructure are larger. It is vital to put on the agenda of the post- 2015 actions, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Recommendations to strengthen strategies, financing and broadband plans in the countries of the region ● Establish an analysis plan of the infrastructure gap between the countries of the region ● Strengthen public-private cooperation to disseminate experiences and ownership in IPv6 adoption in the countries in the region. ● Establish guideline to promote the intensive use of ICT in disaster management <p>II. E-Government</p> <p>Identification and analysis of the impact of the services, procedures, information and data online by the government.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Establish measures to boost the role of regional bodies ● Encourage the info-alphabetization and digital media literacy ● Guide efforts toward social supports less advanced countries in this field to stimulate the creation and financing of PDAs (which include security components) and telecommunications <p>III. e-Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Evaluate the educational progress of the region ● Encourage broadband connectivity and responsible and productive use in schools and colleges <p>IV. Digital Economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In the fight against poverty is important to incorporate job training in information technology and communications ● Encouraging public-private partnerships for the development of the information technology industry and communication
33	Iran National Committee for WSIS, Information Technology Organization	Government	Iran	<p>As concerns Internet governance, enhanced cooperation is a long-awaited process and a delayed mandate. Equal participation of all governments in international management of Internet is an essential missing link which was emphasized during the WSIS process.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: Recent Innovations in Road Safety by ICT Regional and National Cyber-Security; Challenges and Opportunities Impact of Cyber Borders and regulation on the Future of the Information Society</p>

				Broadband Ecosystem: Local Content Importance
34	MINISTERE DE LA COMMUNICATION ET DE L'ECONOMIE NUMERIQUE	Government	SENEGAL	GILRS IN ICT
35	Ministry of Science and Technology, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State	Government	Nigeria	Cloud Computing as it affects Africa
36	Ministry of Communication Technology	Government	Nigeria	Transparency in Governance for efficient and effective service delivery
37	Nasarawa State Government	Government	Nigeria	Enacting Laws that provide for funding of ICT development by local, state and national governments in developing countries. Encouraging the creation of ICT Manufacturing Industries to help reduce the cost of imported ICT products.
38	NATIONAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (NITDA)	Government	Nigeria	e-HEALTH FRAMEWORK FOR DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
39	Nigeria communication satellite limited	Government	Nigeria	CAPACITY BUILDING IN ICT UPSTREAM – (Hardware, Firmware and Software)
40	Universal Service Provision Fund	Government	Nigeria	
41	Information Technology Organization of Iran (ITO)	Government	Islamic Republic of Iran	<p>1- Finding practical and pragmatic mechanisms for using the experiences, support and help of developed countries for reducing the digital divide in the world.</p> <p>2- Various applications and case studies of analysis of Big Data.</p> <p>3- Challenges of developing cloud computing in the countries</p> <p>4- Green ICT</p> <p>5- M2M solutions and applications</p> <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>Title: Measuring ICT Access and Use by Households and Individuals and Information Economy in Iran</p>

				<p>The ICT ministry has assigned one of its subsidiaries named Iran Information Technology Organization (ITO) to develop the ICT measurement system for Iran. ITO has designed and established a system for ICT measurement in Iran. This system includes ICT core indicators for Iran, measurement methods, needed infrastructures and organizational structure for measuring ICT development in Iran. At the end of 2013, ITO and Statistical Center of Iran (SCI) started two important national ICT measurement surveys. The first one is measuring ICT access and use by households and individuals in Iran. The objective of another statistical survey is to create a national accounting system for ICT and measuring the impact ICT indicators such as share of ICT in GDP, value added, ICT export and import and employment.</p> <p>The aim of this thematic workshop is to present the results of these two important national surveys, the analytical reports and the experiences that have been gained during the process of these surveys.</p>
42	Information Technology Organization of Iran (ITO)	Government	Islamic Republic of Iran	<p>Thematic Workshop: Title: National Project for the Institutionalization of Usability and User Experience in Iran: A Progress Report</p> <p>The goal of this workshop is to present and disseminate the ongoing research results and impacts of the "National Project for the Institutionalization of Usability and User Experience in Iran" funded by Iran Information Technology Organization (ITO) under a collaboration and partnership with the "ICT Measurement for Iran" project.</p>
43	Information Technology Organization of Iran (ITO)	Government	Islamic Republic of Iran	<p>Title: How does a paradigmatic approach to ICT integration in education translate into pragmatic measures? : a case of Iranian pioneering teachers and instructional coaches</p>
44	Iran National Committee for WSIS, Information Technology Organization	Government	Iran	<p>As concerns Internet governance, enhanced cooperation is a long-awaited process and a delayed mandate. Equal participation of all governments in international management of Internet is an essential missing link which was emphasized during the WSIS process.</p> <p>Workshops:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Iran Progress in Information Society (Iran Country Workshop) ● The Challenges of Making Broadband Ecosystem in Developing Countries (Thematic Workshop) ● The Future of the Information Society Beyond 2015: Opportunities

				and Challenges (Thematic Workshop)
45	Division Economic Development & Employment	Government	Germany	ICT in education and economic development
46	eGovernment Authority	Government	Kingdom of Bahrain	<p>Ministerial Round Tables:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Role of Innovative leadership and ICT in Public Governance to Promote Development for All 2. Transformative e-Government and Innovation strategies to plan for Sustainable Development Goals 3. Fostering eParticipation in the context of the post-2015 Development Agenda <p>Plenary Sessions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Empowering Women in ICT for Advance Gender Equality 2. Enabling Environment for Entrepreneurship and Economic Development through ICT 3. eGovernment Services: Cost v.s. Returns analysis <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Business Licensing Integrated System 2. Promoting efficiency in ePayment though National Payment Aggregator: Kingdom of Bahrain Successful Case Study 3. eParticipation & Open Data 4. National Governance Framework: Towards efficient use of ICT 5. How Kingdom of Bahrain address digital divides: Initiatives and approaches 6. Integration eService Delivery Platform 7. mCabinet - A Smart Ministerial Cabinet to promote efficiency in Government 8. From Business Analysis to eBPR: Bahrain eGovernment Authority Successful Case Studies 9. Green IT 10. Unified Complaint Management System in Government: Kingdom of Bahrain Successful Case Study

47	EBU-UER European Broadcasting Union	International organization	Switzerland	<p>ABOUT MAIN TOPICS: We suggest that WSIS+10 will discuss these main topics among the others and we are ready to contribute to the organization of the relative debates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reform of the Internet Governance on the basis of San Paulo and CSTD resolutions - Next steps of COP Child on line protection - Net Neutrality - How to preserve the use of spectrum for public interest in the digital world - Freedom and pluralism of media (and the role of public service broadcasting in it) - Safety of Journalists and their new status in the digital era - How to increase production and circulation of local contents over the Internet, especially in small and LD countries - How to preserve and promote the cultural diversity in the digital environment - Digital and media literacy as a priority for education
48	UN Women	International organization	USA	<p>ICTs: A Game Changer for Women and Girls in the 21st Century ? There needs to be a high level segment on gender and ICT. However, this needs to focus not on what needs to be done in broad strokes – this has already been discussed - but rather strategies for getting to real commitments and investments. Maybe we should have a CGI style commitment session that would require multiple stakeholders that are aligning efforts for more holistic and less duplicative approaches.</p> <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>Gender and ICT: A Dual Approach to Increasing Awareness and Investments</p>
49	UNEP Secretariat of the Basel Convention	International organization		<p>Avoiding electrical and electronic waste through sustainable life-cycle management of ICT equipment</p> <p>Thematic Workshop: Life-cycle approach for ICT equipment to avoid e-waste</p>
50	UNESCO Chair of TELEMEDICINE	International organization	SPAIN	<p>HEALTH 4.0 Official training in Telemedicine for Health care workers (Human resources capacitation)</p>
51	World Youth Bank – Latin American Coordination	International organization	Bolivia	<p>Thematic Workshop: Try to extended more on Hi-Speed Broad Band through one Internet project for all</p>
52	United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA)	International organization		<p>Suggested Topics for Discussion: -ICTs for Sustainable Development -The role of e-Participation in Advancing Sustainable Development Goals -The Internet as an Engine for Growth and Development</p> <p>UNDESA recommends holding Action Line meetings that foster</p>

				deeper inter-agency cooperation. Each meeting should highlight in equal measure the work of the facilitator and that of other entities.
53	ITU	International organization	Switzerland	Thematic Workshop: E-Environment: ICTs, Early Warning Systems and Disaster Risk Reduction
54	FAO	International organization	Italy	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Public Private partnership to reduce cost of connectivity and mobile telephony 2. Public Private partnership to reduce the cost of mobile application development 3. ICT literacy at school 4. ICT adult literacy for men and women agriculture producers <p>Thematic Workshop: “E-Agriculture: Moving forward building on 10 years of lessons learned in e-Agriculture”</p>
55	WIPO	International organization	Switzerland	<p>The role played by the Intellectual Property system in striking the balance between the need for access to knowledge and maintaining incentives for creation and innovation.</p> <p>Thematic Workshops:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● “Media and the Internet: New distribution channels reshaping the market” ● “User Generated Content and the work of the content industry: Differences and complementarity” ● “IP and disabilities: Enabling access to content by print-disabled persons – the Marrakesh VIP Treaty and beyond”
56	UN-ESCWA	International organization	Lebanon	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Innovation & youth for stimulating growth in knowledge economy 2. Open Government & Open Data 3. Content Industry. 4. Internet Domain Name Industry 5. Privacy and Personal data Protection 6. Cyber Crimes and Cyber War 7. Convergence: media and cyber space 8. Broadband 9. Global initiatives versus regional or national initiatives of KS 10. Role of crowd in shaping Knowledge Society <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Arab Information Society: 10 years of Achievements (possibly as a pre-event on 9-June, due to constraints of travel schedule) 2. Digital Content for inclusive knowledge society (anytime during the core days of the event)
57	ECLAC	International organization	Chile	Thematic Workshop: Plan of Action for the Information and Knowledge Society in Latin America and the Caribbean (eLAC2015)

58	UNESCO	International organization	India	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Internet Governance <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Children and Women’s Protection Online b. Development of Competition Law and Anti-Trust Law in India c. Data Protection and Privacy d. Using the Media to Build Literacy about Internet Governance e. Building a Just and Equitable Internet 2. Knowledge Societies and Communities of Practice: Creating Opportunities for Collaborative Projects 3. Preservation of Tangible and Intangible Heritage: An India Showcase 4. India: National Stock-taking on ICTs for Persons with Disabilities 5. Understanding Digital Literacy in Developing Nations
59	UNEP Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions	International organization		<p>Topic: Sustainable life-cycle management of ICT equipment</p> <p>Main themes to be discussed under this topic:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Problems: international dimension, impact of e-waste on health and environment - Statistics: classification and indicators, already available data - Technology transfer: patent landscape of e-waste recycling technologies - Policy: legal frameworks, life-cycle approach, development of environmentally sound and sustainable management schemes for ICT equipment <p>It is suggested to organize a joint session with international organizations that are working on the different aspects of e-waste management: ITU (confirmed), UNEP Secretariat of the Basel (confirmed), UNU (confirmed), WIPO (tbc), WHO (tbc) and ILO (tbc).</p> <p>Thematic Workshop:</p> <p>“Theme: Sustainable life-cycle management of ICT equipment”</p>
60	ITU	International organization	Switzerland	Following the Memorandum of Agreement signed by ITU and Trend Micro during Telecom2013, the webinar will touch upon issues related to child online safety and will inform the audience both online and onsite on the possible technical solutions that can help children to remain safe online.
61	International Chamber of Commerce BASIS initiative	Private sector	France	The WSIS +10 high level event should be inclusive of all relevant stakeholders from governments, business, the Internet technical community, IGOs and civil society. The event should also ensure that entities and participants who are not WSIS accredited (in some cases because they did not exist at the time of the WSIS in Geneva or Tunis) can participate and contribute.

				The main topics and themes should focus on issues related to ICTs for development, infrastructure and broadband, and investment.
62	US Council for International Business	Private sector	USA	<p>In recent years, studies have demonstrated a strong correlation between the deployment of broadband and more generally ICTs and economic growth (please see “www.valueoftheweb.com for more concrete, country-by-country statistics). Thus, the main topics and themes of the WSIS+10 high-level Review should focus on issues related to ICTs for development, infrastructure and broadband adoption, and investment.</p> <p>Participants in the High-Level Event should consider how policy can foster continued innovation, free flow of information, and distributed, multistakeholder governance.</p>
63	Data Processing Company (Parvaresh Dadeha)	Private sector	Islamic Republic of Iran	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Innovative and new ICT investment models in the developing countries. 2. Public-Private Partnerships for development of ICT 3. Identifying barriers and obstacles (e.g. ICT infrastructure, regulations, financial, etc.) for reaching to the WSIS targets and other ICT development objectives in the countries and solutions for speeding up the progress. <p>Thematic Workshop: Title- Hubco: An Initiative for the Development of ICT Access, Use and Skills in the Businesses of Iran</p> <p>Data Processing Company (DP Co.) has initiated a project to develop a system named Hubco along with all the needed processes and infrastructures for providing the SCM functionalities as a service to the member suppliers and consumers. Hubco, is a web-based service-oriented SCM solution. The main purpose of this project is to weave a network of suppliers and consumers in various fields and industries and then connect them together and provide many SCM functionalities as a service.</p> <p>In this Thematic Workshop, Hubco and its different services is introduced and we try to share our experiences in implementing this e-commerce solution in the country. It should be mentioned that Hubco has reached to the third phase of WSIS Project Prizes 2014.</p>

64	UNCTAD on behalf of the Partnership on Measuring ICT for Development	International organization	Switzerland	Measuring the WSIS Targets: a 10-year assessment and future targets post-2015
65	UNESCO, Culture Sector	International organization		ICT, Culture, Development, and the Post-2015 agenda
66	UN DESA (moderator/facilitator)	International Organization		Acton Line C1: The role of public governance authorities and all stakeholders in the promotion of ICTs for development Co-facilitators: ECOSOC/UN Regional Commissions/ITU
67	ITU	International organization	Switzerland	WSIS Action line C2 would like to hold its annual Action Line Facilitation meeting in the framework of the WSIS+10 High-Level Event. The focus of the meeting will be on; - Achievements accomplished since 2003 on global ICT/telecommunication infrastructure development - Challenges and new areas to be focused beyond 2015
68	UNESCO	International organization	Paris	C3. Access to information and knowledge
69	ITU	International organization	Swiss	C4 Action Line Capacity Building: "Digital competences towards an inclusive Information Society" The main topics are as follows: 1. Establishing professional standards for ICT sector 2. Digital citizenship: digital natives and digital immigrants 3. Developing digital culture 4. Role of lifelong learning and skills development in providing digital competencies 5. e-Education, e-Learning and m-Learning as a powerful tools for development of digital competences
70	ITU	International organization		C5. Building confidence and security in the use of ICTs
71	ITU	International organization		C6. Enabling environment
72	UN DESA	International organization		C7. ICT Applications: E-government Co-facilitators: UNDP/ITU
73	UNCTAD	International organization		C7. ICT Applications: E-business Co-facilitators: ITC/UPU
74	UNESCO	International organization		C7. ICT Applications: E-learning Co-facilitators: ITU/UNIDO

75	WHO	International organization		C7. ICT Applications: E-health “eHealth+10: Connecting for Health” Co-facilitator: ITU
77	WMO, UNEP and ITU	International organization		C7. ICT Applications: E-environment
78	UNESCO	International organization		C7. ICT Applications: E-science Co-facilitators: ITU/UNCTAD/WHO
79	UNESCO	International organization		C8. Cultural diversity and identity, linguistic diversity and local content
80	UNESCO	International organization	France	Action Line C9 Advancing free, independent and pluralistic media in all platforms: for building inclusive knowledge societies and contributing to the Post-2015 development agenda Title of Action Line C9 meeting: Advancing free, independent and pluralistic media in all platforms: for building inclusive knowledge societies and contributing to the Post-2015 development agenda”. The meeting will debate how to advance free, independent and pluralistic media in light of the evolving and expanded media scape as reshaped by the digital communications. As a follow up to the last Actin Line C9 meeting organized during WSIS Forum 2013, further discussions on the draft concept of “Internet Universality” will be triggered to envision building inclusive Knowledge Societies and Post-2015 Sustainable Development Agenda.
81	UNESCO	International organization		C10. Ethical dimensions of the Information Society Co-facilitators: ECOSOC/WHO/ECPAT Int’l
82	UN DESA	International organization		C11. International and regional cooperation Co-facilitators: UN Regional Commissions/ UNDP/ITU/UNESCO/ECOSOC
83	ITU	International organization		“WSIS STOCKTAKING SESSION: 10 YEARS LANDMARK THE REPOSITORY OF CASE STUDIES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE WSIS OUTCOMES” WSIS PROJECT PRIZES 2014 SHOWCASING ROUNDTABLE
84	Ministerio de Tecnologías de la Información y las Comunicaciones	Government	Republic of Colombia	Country Workshop